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This document is intended to be used as a tool to assist emergency responders in establishing a Community Air Monitoring (CAM) program during an emergency response. Additionally, this document standardizes the process for air monitoring data collection, analysis, and dissemination. It is designed to be applicable to incidents involving a pollutant, chemical, and/or oil that has or will likely release airborne contaminants that may affect the surrounding community. This may include scenarios where the contaminants are burning, not burning, and/or releasing combustion byproducts. This CAM document is not intended for use in establishing action levels for worker respiratory protection.

Note: The Central Texas Coastal Area Committee developed this document. The formatting of the Community Air Monitoring Plan is styled after a previously published version; reformatting will occur during future updates.

The following is a link to the [Public Health and Safety: Community Air Monitoring Protocols, Annex 5a](#).